

24 hours ending 5 p.m., Tuesday:
Victoria and vicinity—Fresh breeze from
west and easterly winds, mostly
light, with occasional snow.

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WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Capitol—To the Ladies.
Dominion—Long Live the King.
Columbia—The Face On the Barroom
Floor.
Playhouse—His Smothered Love.
Royal—Rhapsody.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

SHOUTS FOR REPUBLIC HEARD WHEN THE NEW GREEK ASSEMBLY MET

**King's Cabinet Withdrew After Giving Resignation;
After Heated Debate Assembly Adjourned Until
Saturday; "Down With King" Was Among Shouts
of Deputies**

Athens, Jan. 2.—Amid shouts from the deputies and the gales of "Long live the Republic" and "Down with the King," the revolutionary Government was turned over to the newly-elected National Assembly today by Colonel Plastiras, head of the Revolutionary Committee.

Colonel Plastiras opened his session with a speech in which he congratulated the achievement of the revolutionary Government, which took power at the abdication of King Constantine in the fall of 1922.

Premier Gonatas followed with an announcement of the resignation of his Government, which held office under the revolutionary regime.

The cabinet withdrew from the session after its resignation, and the assembly remained in the House and adjourned until Saturday.

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Earlier dispatch than the above.

The Republicans in the National Assembly, numbering 162, under the leadership of M. Papadimitriou, the overthrow of the Greek monarchy, while the Royalists are equally belligerent.

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Viscount Kiyoura Endeavors to Form Japanese Cabinet

Tokio, Jan. 2.—Viscount Kiyoura, President of the Privy Council, summoned by Prince Regent Hirohito, is endeavoring to form a cabinet to succeed that of Premier Yamamoto, which resigned following the attempt last week to assassinate the Prince Regent.

Embryo Legislators Open Parliament Here

**Speech From Throne and Parliamentary Procedure at
Opening of Boys' Parliament at Government Build-
ings Closely Follows Legislative Precedent**

Acting as the Lieutenant-Governor, Rev. A. E. Roberts, chairman of the Boys' Work Board of the Province, delivered the Speech from the Throne to the assembled representatives of the Old Boys' Parliament, which convened at the Parliament Buildings today.

Framed on the basis of the speech of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, his locum tenens performed the ceremony with that courtesy and dignity which traditionally should accompany the position.

The speech was as follows: "Mr. Speaker and Members of the Old Boys' Parliament, I welcome you to this the first session of the First Old Boys' Parliament of British Columbia.

"Upon the request of numerous Tuxis Squares throughout the Province, the 'Provincial' Boys' Work Board has seen fit to call together those members duly elected in the various electoral districts, under the supervision of the Religious Education Council of British Columbia.

"I congratulate you upon your election to this distinguished office and trust that during your deliberations you will perform faithfully and well the trust that has been reposed in you.

"It is most gratifying to police the increased interest in boys' work, and I feel sure that whatever steps you take during this session are bound to give impetus and direction to this movement throughout our Province.

"May it be yours to establish worthy precedents and lay firm foundations for the future. I trust that your deliberations will be free from all faction and party spirit, and by co-operating with each other the interests of the entire Province may be served.

"During this session you will be called upon to consider legislation dealing with the following matters: "1. The organization of the British Columbia Old Boys' Parliament.

"2. The budget for 1924.

"3. City and municipal councils.

"4. Tuxis Conclaves and Trail Ranger Grand Camp.

"5. Provincial-wide 3 C's campaign.

"6. Provincial Old Boys' training camp.

"7. National Bible study examination.

"8. Dominion Old Boys' Parliament.

"9. Father and son week and boys' week.

"10. The four fold programme.

"11. The advisability of securing a Provincial Boys' Work secretary, and many other matters of importance.

(Continued on page 3.)

Earth Shocks

in Italy To-day

Caused no Loss

Ancona, Italy, Jan. 2.—Earthquake tremors lasting ten seconds were felt here at 10 o'clock this morning. This disturbance extended in a northerly direction along the Adriatic as far as Rimini and inland as far as Macerata. No damage was reported.

Reichsbank Head

Visitor in London

For Conferences

London, Jan. 2.—Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, new president of the German Reichsbank, has arrived in London for conferences with some of the leading British financiers, says The Daily Telegraph.

British Submarine

Leaves England on

10,000-Mile Cruise

London, Jan. 2.—About fifty naval men start to-day in the submarine K-26 on the longest voyage ever undertaken by a British submarine without a parent ship, says The Daily Mail.

The cruise, which is to be mainly for experimental purposes, will cover about 10,000 miles, taking the craft from Portsmouth through the Mediterranean and Red Sea and return.

The K-26 is the largest British submarine afloat. She displaced 2,140 tons and is said to be the finest vessel of her class in the world.

C. N. CARTAGE CO.

MAY BE PURCHASED

BY EMPLOYEES

Toronto, Jan. 2.—Sir Henry Thornton will give employees of the Canadian National Cartage Company an opportunity to purchase the company if it is decided to part with this portion of the publicly-owned enterprise.

The request that employees of the company, who are members of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees, be permitted to make an offer for the company when it is definitely decided to sell, was put before Sir Henry by A. J. Mosher, president of the Brotherhood, and his reply was: "It is fair." However, Sir Henry is not prepared to sanction a sale without further consideration of the matter.

12,000 Canadian

Cattle to be Sent

to Great Britain

Winnipeg, Jan. 2.—Financial arrangements have been made in London, Eng., by W. H. Hill Foster, prominent cattle dealer, for the importation from Canada of 12,000 store cattle in weekly lots of 250, commencing in February, according to cables received here by Col. H. L. Mullins.

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BY RECENT FIRE

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The death added pathetic emphasis to the double tragedy in which Stephen and Herbert Lacoursiere, brothers, came to their end in what was planned as the first Christmas reunion of the family in many years.

Albert and Herbert Lacoursiere rushed out of the house but returned to find their brother's body lying in the flames. It was then that Herbert Lacoursiere received the injuries which led to his death. His brother Stephen was buried yesterday.

A. Lacoursiere, sr., their father, and Albert Lacoursiere, the remaining brother, each received burns when fighting the flames. The home, on the West Saanich Road, was gutted. The deceased youth gave three years' service to his country during the war, when he acted as runner for the 29th Battalion. He received three medals for conspicuous bravery, and returned to Victoria on May 25, 1919. He was a member of the Veterans of France.

In addition to his father and remaining brother, two sisters, Miss "Hoolie" Lacoursiere and Mrs. E. Broadfoot survive him.

The funeral will take place on Friday morning, leaving the West Saanich Catholic Church, where the Lacoursiere family is buried, at 10 o'clock.

Rev. Father E. M. Sheehan, pastor of the church, will officiate.

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Kelly freely admitted the shooting, according to the police, even going out of his way to bring them the pistol and announce, "I just shot a man."

Dines, Miss Normand and Miss Edna Purviance, motion picture actresses, were spending the afternoon and evening of a chilly New Year's Day in the Denver man's apartment when Kelly appeared and insisted that Miss Normand leave with him. He had been sent to take her home, he told the police.

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An argument arose. Miss Normand refused at first to go home. Then she changed her mind, according to the chauffeur, and allowed him to lead her toward the door.

"But Dines got up and started to grab a bottle," Kelly is said to have told the police, "where the trouble started. I just shot him."

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Our New Address is 747 Yates Street

See the Hats in our window displays—note the prices and shop early in the morning to assure better selections.

Clearing High-Grade Winter Millinery at Tremendous Price Reductions

Thursday, January 3

We simply have to get rid of all Winter Hats. Our rule not to carry over hats from one season to another will be carried out at all cost.



At \$1.45, \$3.95, \$4.95

ABOUT 300 Hats, tailored, Sports and trimmed, a bargain at \$5.

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE \$1.45

OVER 250 HATS. These Hats you've seen and perhaps did not feel you could afford, as they were mostly priced up to \$15, but as we do not carry over Hats from one season to another, THEY ARE TO GO AT \$3.95

170 HATS, originally \$15 to \$20 values, consisting of large and small models, made of rich velvets. Some are combined with tinsel cloth, others with duvetyn. Trimmed with flowers, fur and ostrich feathers.

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE \$4.95

At Exactly Half Price

Balance of all imported models at exactly half-price.

DON'T take our word; just come around and see for yourself that such Hats and at such prices could only be bought when we are determined to clear every Hat we have at any cost.

The South African Plume Shop

747 Yates St.

Victoria's Largest Millinery Shop

Phone 2818

SO THIS IS 1924!

But Why So Much Fuss About It; There Have Been Other New Years Before, Mr. Augustus Twaddle Points Out.

Mr. Augustus Twaddle, that inveterate old critic of everything from politics to grand opera, was up at his usual time to-day and, what is worse, he felt disgustingly normal. His well-fed, smug expression of self-satisfaction on this, of all mornings, was a positive insult to those dauntless souls who had loyally escorted the Old Year out and ushered the New One in with fitting ceremony yesterday. His vulgar feeling of comfort was a calculated reflection on something over ninety-nine per cent. of the population of this city who to-day are paying the price of their unsullied loyalty to the memory of 1923 and their welcome to its successor. The

jauntiness of his stride as he marched into the editorial offices of this paper to convey his annual New Year greeting to the staff was a nasty slur on men who had worked faithfully for twenty-four hours on end, without thought of reward, to give 1924 a rousing reception. Mr. Twaddle, in fact, should have been ashamed of himself.

"Well, the old year is dead," he announced, carefully parking his feet on the star reporter's desk. "So sorry, how did it happen?" remarked the star reporter sourly, for he doesn't appreciate Mr. Twaddle's little habit of parking his feet on people's desks.

"Yes, it's dead," Mr. Twaddle went on, ignoring the interruption. "And a lot of people who put it at the end are nearly in the same condition," he added, taking in everyone with a comprehensive and suggestive glance. TWADDLE PUZZLED

"I may be old-fashioned, I may not

people will do now-a-days, with twentieth century culture and all, as Mr. Stanchard remarked after the election the other day.

SAME OLD THING

"The way some people carry on you'd think there had never been a new year before. As a matter of fact, there have been several hundred million of them, more or less, and unless something happens there probably will be as many more. Even the City Council can't stop them. Do you notice any particular difference now that the new year is upon us? Does the air feel changed? Was it any less of an effort to get out of bed than it was last year? Are your taxes any lower? Did the plumber charge any less to thaw your pipes out?"

"Not a bit of it. No, sir, the only difference between this and last year is that you've got a new calendar hanging on the wall. This is the be-



Mr. Marchant's sonorous periods will thunder through the City Hall again this year.

appreciate the refinements of modern civilization," "but personally I could never quite understand why stout, successful business men, who are everlastingly deploring the wild ways of the younger generation, and who would never think of running for a street car for fear of straining their hearts, will sally forth on New Year's Eve and do a long distance race around a ball room all night to the hideous shrieking and crashing of a piano, a drum and a collection of devilish trumpets, all out of tune—and wear tissue paper hats on their bald heads—and blow tin horns—and sing Auld Lang Syne while holding the heads of other fat-people whom they have never seen before, will never see again and don't want to—and arrive home at daylight with the feeling of a day-old chick in a blizzard and an unshakable determination never to do it again.

"No, I could never understand it," Mr. Twaddle declared. "Oh, well, there is no accounting for what

gunning and end of it all. Don't fool yourself. These years are all the same. They're just like matrimony—look fine 'till you begin to know them." And yet people treat a new year as if it were a personal present to them when, as a matter of plain fact, it is the one thing in this world that is free to everyone from the blackest Zulu in Africa to the King of England. People go around with a swagger as if they owned it and yet our ancestors have been receiving one year after another more or less regularly since the days when they lived in trees. Yes, a man will greet a new year with more enthusiasm than he will greet a new addition to his family. It's a kind of a fetish like the many games of golf and mah-jong.

A GOOD OLD YEAR

"Personally I consider this unjustified enthusiasm over the New Year a reflection of the old one. It was a mighty good old year in spite of a few minor failings. Just look at



After welcoming the New Year in this up-to-date fashion, stout businessmen go home with an unshakable determination never to do it again.

CLEARANCE SALE

Angus Campbell & Co., Ltd.

CLEARANCE SALE

1008-10 GOVERNMENT STREET

January Clearance Sale Bargains for Thursday's Selling

Women's All Pure Wool Vests With Short and No Sleeves Sale Price 98c

The coming of the New Year brings many good things and this January Sale is one of the first and one of the very nicest things that it will bring to you. It's a wonderful opportunity not only to fill your wardrobe needs, but also to buy the many pretty things that you would love to have. If you come in the very first day you are sure to find a wider and better selection to choose from.

View Window Displays

Big Reductions on Women's Fur-trimmed Coats

With many cold days ahead, you will be glad to see these smart Fur-trimmed Coats have been remarkably reduced. The end of the Winter season is sometimes a bit dull, but with a new Coat the world will certainly take on a brighter outlook.

See These Fur-trimmed Coats Selling at \$19.75, \$25.00, \$27.50 and \$35.00

They Are Wonderful Value

Here's your chance to get that smart fur-trimmed Coat that you have been wishing for. You may choose from full back and belted models in the popular shades of brown, all with comfortable fur collars and well lined. If you are looking for a genuine coat bargain see these Coats, selling here tomorrow at \$19.75, \$25.00, \$27.50 and \$35.00



All Afternoon and Evening Gowns on Sale at Very Substantial Reductions

Bargains in the Knit Underwear Section

Zenith Drawers for women, knee and ankle length, closed style, sizes 26 and 28. Regular to \$1.75. Sale Price 95c

Women's Vests, Zenith brand, short and long sleeves, sizes 25 and 28. Regular \$1.75. Sale Price 98c

Zenith Combinations for women, knee and ankle length, sizes 26 and 28. Regular \$4.50 per suit. Sale Price \$2.95

Velva Combinations, V neck, knee length, all sizes, good quality, to clear at, per suit. \$1.95

Women's Swiss Lisle Vests, plain and fancy tops, sizes 26 and 28. Regular to \$2.25. Priced to clear at 98c

Children's Fleece-lined Sleeping Suits, large sizes only. Priced for a quick clearance at HALF-PRICE.

Odd Lines of Children's Combinations, all sizes, ankle length. Watson's make. Regular up to \$4.00 per suit. Sale Price \$1.95

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all that happened in those twelve months." Mr. Twaddle went on, checking off the various events on his fingers.

"Baldwin Government and Police Commissioner W. E. Standand defeated.

"Calvin Coolidge becomes President of the United States.

"Ex-Mayor Marchant re-elected to City Council.

"Lloyd George thrills United States on American tour.

"Mayor Reginald Maynard wins gastronomic championship of the world by attending 1,615 official banquets and luncheons, more or less, and living through it, more or less.

"United States agrees to join in investigation of Germany's ability to pay reparations.

"Alderman John Harvey announces discovery that Victoria needs more industries.

"Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr. decides to sue Mayor Richard Burde for libel

on account of his speech in the B.C. Legislature.

"Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., learning that a member of the B.C. Legislature can say anything he likes, decides not to sue Mayor Richard Burde for libel on account of his speech in the B.C. Legislature.

"Einstein theory of relativity partially proved.

"Professor Heston announces that reign of extreme jazz with orchestra walking over pianos and cheek-to-cheek dancing is nearing end.

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"Which, on the whole, is a pretty fine record for a single year," Mr. Twaddle declared. "And now we face another twelve months. I suppose we must just grin and bear them. The first few weeks are bound to be the worst. A man won't be able to go down the street without having his arm pulled off by enthusiastic people eager to wish him a happy New Year and anxious to prove it by maiming him."

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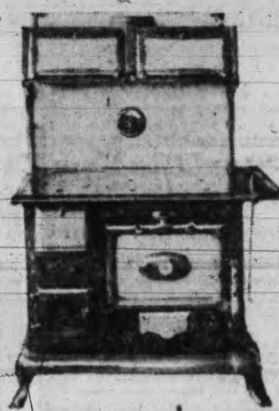
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Rigoletto To-night; Madame Butterfly To-morrow, Offerings of Noted Company

To-night is the opening of the opera season in Victoria. The opera house is not La Scala nor Covent Garden nor Metropolitan, but the Royal Victoria. Everybody who is anybody is sure to be present. For to-night and to-morrow Victorians may be thoroughly content in the belief so well founded on fact, that there is no metropolis on the continent that is offering anything finer, more artistic, more cultured.

For Fortune Gallo, who is bringing the San Carlo Grand Opera Company here, is presenting the same combination of artists, musicians, chorus settings, that delighted the connoisseurs of conservative Boston, Philadelphia and more or less opera-satiated New York City.

That the metropolis of the States kept Mr. Gallo's songbirds for five weeks and the Bostonians lasted on three weeks, and the Philadelphians had to be content with two weeks, to the disgruntled anger of the press and musicians, does not alter the fact. There is a little song of an elf who once quite angrily declared to a giant: "I am quite as big for me as you are big for you."

All over the city and indeed all over the Island, the one topic of discussion outside the Amusement Centre (which seems to have made obsolescence-conscious to the opera for a slight period) is the coming of the opera.

RIGOLETTO

To-night the score chosen by Mr. Gallo is Verdi's "Rigoletto," which has innumerable points to commend it, outside the points of excellence in the company. There is the story, one of the most vital and virile in all opera; the characters are strong and unforgettable; the deformed, ugly, cruel Rigoletto; the jester at last breaking down in a veritable fury of despair and sorrow; the innocent Gilda; the dissolute but handsome Duke; the infuriated and noble Monterone; the brutal Sparafucile and his sister, Maddalena; the fawning pawns of courtiers; the gallant gentlemen in the court; the graceful ladies in waiting; then the story.

The scenery, the brave display of the court in gala array; the flower-laden bower of Gilda; the arrogant ante-chamber of the Ducal apartment; the broken down, fearsome Inn of Sparafucile.

Then the music, the tunes you have to whistle that the tenor sings, La donna mobile, Questa quella, and the great quartet. Then the fascinating coloratura classic, "Caro nome" and duet of Gilda and her father, Gilda and her lover and the cries of Rigoletto, "Pari siamo" and "C'è il diavolo" where he breaks down before the courtiers crying: "See me broken, the jester, the villain, crying now before you. Restore her to me, not my mistress but my daughter, my innocent, my Gilda."

The cast is unusually strong: Consuelo Escobar, the Mexican Gilda Curci as she has often been termed in her own country and in Spain, where at Barcelona she was prima donna, she is the Gilda. The dramatic role of "Rigoletto," the deformed fiendish, yet the light of Mario Basilio, who is a singing Barrymore. The Duke is the handsome Demetrio Onofrei of lyric beautiful notes, and Maddalena will be sung by Stella de Mette. Pietro di Biasi, and others are the principals. Carlo Peroni will conduct.

MADAME BUTTERFLY
 Thursday night, Haru Onqui, will sing in the Japanese epic, "Madame Butterfly," with a great cast of principals.

Costly Sets Used in Rhinehart Film For Jackie Coogan

Jackie Coogan's first Metro production, "Long Live the King," by Mary Roberts Rhinehart, which plays at the Dominion Theatre this week, epitomizes among its high qualities every advancement that has been achieved in the filming of the truly great photoplays. Novel engineering feats, unusual set construction, unique costumes, and all the other numerous elements that support the star and his cast, are present in their highest exemplification.

Jack Coogan, Senior, Director Victor Schertzinger and Art Director John J. Hughes worked out a new system of building settings. Many of them were erected in sections away from the studio proper; the numbered pieces were then brought on to the stages and put together after the fashion of skyscrapers. Furthermore, they were built in series; adjoining rooms and corridors were erected together, thus permitting continuous action by the players and adding to the smoothness of their performances, as well as effecting economy in the cost of production.

The interior sets for "Long Live the King" were grouped in two distinct units, representing an expenditure of over \$400,000 for material and labor, exclusive of the salaries of the star, the cast and the production organization. It would be unfair to audiences to list them here, or to describe them in detail; but it may safely be stated that their beauty and appropriateness will be notable.

Especially notable are the marvelous exterior sets that were erected for Jackie Coogan. First of all in the great palace, which is an exact replica of the Castle of Neuschwanstein in Bavaria. This set occupies 240,000 square feet of ground, and is built up to a height of 70 feet with battlements 20 feet higher. The castle fronts on the central square of the city of Laval, which shows the intersection of two streets, lined with buildings and shops of various kinds. There is also a huge aqueduct that passes under an ornamental iron bridge, with fountains before the Opera House and the Cathedral, which also fronts on the square. The Opera House is modeled after its prototype in Dresden, and the Cathedral after the famous one in Herzegovina.

AT THE THEATRES

Royal—"Rigoletto."
 Capitol—"To the Ladies."
 Dominion—"Long Live the King."
 Playhouse—"His Smothered Love."
 Columbia—"The Face on the Bar-room Floor."

Inaugurate New Entertainment Era at the Playhouse

Tabloid Musical Comedies by Hincks' Company and Film Features

When the curtain goes up at the Playhouse on Thursday evening a new era in entertainment circles in Victoria will commence, and Reginald N. Hincks has gathered around him for his opening a very clever company of artists including such well-known favorites as Marie McLaughlin, Peggy Lewis, Dorothy Sehl, Will Marshall, Frank Allwood and Bob Webb. With this assembly behind the footlights the public can be assured of both merriment and music of a high order. Although "The Geisha" has been cut down to an hour's entertainment it contains, in addition to much sparkling dialogue and bright humor, no less than ten of the most fascinating numbers of this most musical of the light operas. Special care is being given to the scenic and costuming effects, and no detail has been overlooked to make this one of the brightest and snappiest performances yet given by this popular company.

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Edward Horton plays Leonard Beale, and Theodore Roberts, Helen Jerome Eddy and Louise Dresser are also featured in the principal roles of the James Cruze Paramount production of "The Ladies Man," which is showing at the Capitol. The story is an unusually pleasing domestic comedy adapted from the stage play of the same title by Walter Woods.

Kansas City Orchestra Coming

Victoria is to have the Kansas City Symphony Orchestra. This wonderful organization is now touring the West and Middle West, and both this city and Vancouver are included in this tour. The orchestra is under the direct auspices of the Kansas City Chamber of Commerce, the Rotary, Kiwanis and such like clubs of that city, and these organizations are selling their brother clubs here the great benefit that are derived to the city from their orchestra.

There will be two performances, an afternoon and an evening, of Saturday, January 19, at the Pantages Theatre, where the box office will open on Monday morning, January 14.

Anna Pavlova Coming in Five New Offerings

At least five new and fascinating ballets have been added to the already astonishing repertoire of Anna Pavlova and her Ballet Russe. The international dancers will present these together with several new and delightful diversissements. There are unique and modern creations are all productions of rare attractiveness, both from the visual and musical, as well as from the viewpoint of terpsichore.

Pavlova's latest offerings, all of which were received with special acclaim during her recent New York engagement, have already excited unusual interest this season. They are: Russian Ballet—A novelty of type that has not come out of Russia before, constructed by Ivan Bibline, a countryman of the noted dancer, and featuring painted and waxed puppets, depicting bits of old Russian folklore.

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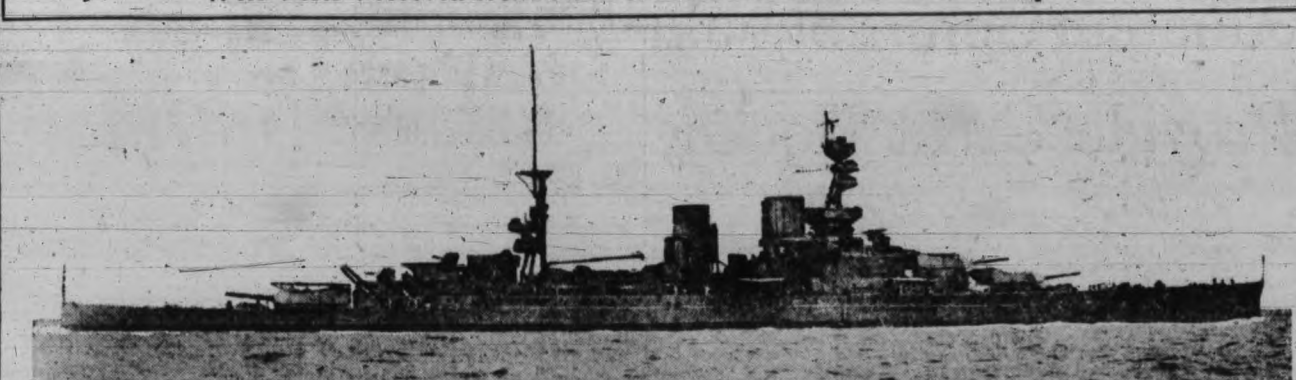
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Falkland Islands

Recently the British Government proclaimed a protectorate over the Ross Sea Dependency, which comprises a portion of the antarctic regions, and placed the dependency under the control of the Dominion of New Zealand.

Having granted a license to a Norwegian firm to engage in whaling there, it has been decided to send an officer with the expedition, Captain G. S. Hooper.

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JANUARY LUMBER EXPORT
FIGURES ARE PROMISING

Nearly 10,000,000 Feet of Lumber is Estimated So Far;
Skagway Arrives To-day to Take 1,100,000 Feet;
Last Year's Records Expected to Be Shattered By
Lumber Exports This Spring; Japan Trade Will
Return on "Firm and More Consistent Basis,"
Atlantic Seaboard Good Customer

Lumber export figures for the first month of 1924 are very promising. Estimates of the lumber going out of this port during January have so far reached 9,605,000 feet and there is every indication of further orders coming in before the end of the month. This is considered a good start for the first week in the month, especially as business is not yet back to normal after the lull over the holiday season.

It was intimated at the mills this morning that although January promises to be a big month in the lumber export business, an even bigger volume of business can be looked for, and it is anticipated that the orders will return on a firmer and more consistent basis at the end of thirty days.

The past two months' heavy delivery has caused the lull in orders from both Japan and China. But these two countries are expected to be heavy in their orders during the Spring of the year.

"However, the Atlantic seaboard is increasing her demand for lumber, and 1924 will see a record export of Vancouver Island and B.C. lumber to that coast. California is not falling off in her orders by any means. In fact indications at present point to an increase in orders. We have many orders for California delivery going right into February. So we are expecting an even more prosperous season during 1924 than we have just completed."

WORK ON DRYDOCK
IS DRIVING AHEAD

Over \$680,000 Spent on New
Government Basin in Year
Dock Will Be Ready in Spring
of 1925

Work during the past twelve months on the Government drydock at Skinner's Cove has been entirely satisfactory, according to J. P. Forde, district engineer of public works for the Dominion Government. Over \$680,000 in wages and material were spent during the year 1923, he stated, while up to the present time approximately \$220,000 has been spent on the excavating and construction work of the big basin.

It has not only meant the spending of large sums of money in Victoria but has also helped solve the unemployment question here. Some 200 men were working up to November on the drydock, and since the work has been started there are now almost 250 men employed. Both excavating and concrete work is in progress on the drydock, and now, although excavating is expected to be completed by the summer it will be from ten to twelve months before the entire concrete work is completed.

It is anticipated, however, that the work will be sufficiently advanced by July to justify the installation of the pumping house machinery. The drydock gates will be the last job and it is expected that this will be completed in the early part of next year.

Large sums of money will be expended on the drydock in 1924, as the work to be done this year is by far the most important since the basin was commenced. Much valuable machinery will be installed, while by the summer time it is expected that from 300 to 350 men will be working on the drydock.

The drydock when completed will be the second largest in the world and the same size as the one just completed at St. Johns. The Commonwealth drydock at Boston is the largest in the world.

George Wells
Promoted in
C.P.R. Service

In an official circular under today's date George C. Wells, assistant to the passenger traffic manager, C.P.R., is appointed assistant to the general passenger traffic manager.

Mr. Wells, who is the chief authority on railway passenger tariffs in Canada, joined the Canadian Pacific as a clerk in the passenger traffic department in 1922. In 1923 he was appointed chief clerk, in 1924 assistant general passenger agent, and in 1925 assistant to the passenger traffic manager. In this latter capacity Mr. Wells had the supervision of all rail tariffs in addition to other duties and was unofficially the head of the tariff bureau. Thirty-one years of service in the passenger traffic department have given him a knowledge of passenger tariffs not equalled in Canada and in his new appointment he will supervise the steamship as well as the rail rates.

Mariners are notified that the unwatched light on Roberts Bank buoy, Strait of Georgia, and the inner beacon, Vancouver Narrows, are reported not burning. These will be attended to as soon as possible. Also Scroggs Rock buoy, reported capsized on December 28, has been righted.

Notice to Mariners
The attention of mariners is called to notice to mariners No. 27, of 1923, and in particular to paragraph 16, as follows:

The signal to be given by vessels requiring a movable span to be opened shall be three long blasts of a whistle or horn. This regulation must be adhered to.

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Sailed: New York, Jan. 1.—Arrived: Canopic, Hamburg; City of Durban, Manila; Commercial Guide, San Francisco.

Everett, Jan. 1.—Arrived: Kinryu Maru, Seattle.

Wellington, New Zealand, Jan. 1.—When a little boy on the liner Arauca lost his ball overboard in the Pacific Ocean, a sympathetic passenger asked him what had happened. "Ball overboard," he sobbed.

The passenger misheard the words and called out in fright: "Ball overboard!" Then the cry taken up became "Man overboard."

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OPPORTUNITY FOR
CANADIAN FARMER
IN THE FAR EAST

A. Brostedt, Orient Representative
For C.N.R., Gives
Interview

Winnipeg, Jan. 2.—A live market for Canadian lumber, cured meats, livestock and other produce is being developed in the Orient, according to A. Brostedt, Orient representative of the Canadian National Railway and Canadian Government merchant marine, who was in Winnipeg Monday on his way back from conferences at Montreal, China and Japan are both buying considerably more Canadian produce than heretofore.

Mr. Brostedt stated, and there is room for much greater development if Canadian manufacturers and exporters will study the needs of the Oriental market and arrange for representation in the Orient by business men who know those countries.

Japan is using large quantities of Alberta butter at the present time, Mr. Brostedt stated, and other commodities which are being carried to the Orient in C.N.R. ships are fresh and cured meats, wheat and flour, salt and canned fish, lumber

and lead and silver bullion. The Chinese are eating more wheat flour and also more meat, declared, and in the case of the former, there is a demand for Canadian wheat because of failures in Manchuria, which is the usual source of supply. A number of modern flour mills are operating at Shanghai and in Northern China, and the demand for wheat products is constantly increasing.

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board this ship and we don't intend having any. We have nine apprentices. One of them is named Charlie Howard."

The Earl has been apprenticed by his family for a succession of voyages. He likes the sea and would rather have it than school or college. At home when he comes of age he will be the owner of the finest collection of Old Master in the world.

NEW C.G.M.M. SHIP
HERE FROM ATLANTIC

Canadian Trooper Arrives in
Vancouver to go on California Run

Vancouver, Jan. 2.—The arrival of the Canadian Trooper from Montreal New Year's Day marked another step in the development of Pacific Coast trade by the Canadian Government Merchant Marine.

The service from this port to California started with three boats, and each year B. C. Keesley, Pacific Coast manager, has been able to add one boat to the line. The Canadian Trooper makes the fifth steamship in this service.

Mr. Keesley stated yesterday that he is anxious to improve this service to California to a point where he can include Mexico every second or third boat, thus connecting Vancouver directly with ports on the west coast of Mexico.

BRITISH EARL
SHIPS AS SEAMAN

(Special to The Times)
Wellington, New Zealand, Jan. 1.—There arrived here on the sailing ship Mon. Sten, a ship's apprentice who is the premier Earl of England, the Earl of Suffolk and Berkshire, Viscount Andover and Baron Howard. He is learning seamanship, and on board he is treated exactly as any other ship's boy.

To the other apprentices he is known as "Jack," and when in Sydney Captain McCall was asked by the newspapermen for an interview with the "Earl" he gruffly said, "There's no Earl on

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NEW-VANCOUVER COUNCIL AT WORK

Vancouver, Jan. 2.—The Vancouver City Council for 1924, headed by the new chief magistrate, Mayor William R. Owen, assumed office at noon today with formal ceremony at the City Hall.

The new council, in accordance with the provisions of the charter, assembled to take the oath of office at noon.

Mayor Owen announced the list of committee chairmen and proceeded to deliver his inaugural address.

MOTION PICTURES OF HIGHWAY BRIDGE

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Motion pictures of the bascule span in action are suggested and these may be incorporated into the pictures showing the opening ceremony.

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The time limit on the concrete laid on the approaches will run out on Friday.

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Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Text-Book upon "Allments Peculiar to Women" will be sent you free upon request. Write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., C. O. Box 103, Littleton, Mass. This book contains valuable information.

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BREAKS THIGH SKATING

The first skating accident of the winter season occurred yesterday afternoon at Bowker's Creek, Oak Bay, when Richard Fisher, eight-year-old son of parents at 2040 Beachwood Avenue, was injured in a sudden tumble. The boy was skating with companions at the time when he went down suddenly and could not rise. It was found on his removal to the Jubilee Hospital, that the left thigh was fractured. Dr. R. A. Fraser attended.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Ward Four Sanicth ratepayers will meet to-night to discuss candidates for municipal office.

A Building permit has been issued for a small amount for alterations at the Public Library, Percy Fox, the architect, and T. Lewis the contractor.

H. E. Beasley, General Superintendent of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway, left yesterday for Winnipeg on official business of the railway.

The Marguerite Chapter, I.O.O.F., will hold its regular monthly meeting to-morrow evening at 8:30 at the home of Mrs. David Miller, Quadra Street. Officers for the coming year will be nominated.

The popularity of the automobile as a means of transportation is shown in the fact that last year 165 private garages were added in Victoria. During the year thirty-three dwelling houses were erected within the city limits.

In a letter which arrived here today W. E. Macara, Registrar-General of Manitoba, who contemplates a journey to Honolulu, states he may again make a short stay in the city. Mr. Macara came here from Winnipeg last winter.

Bursting a hole three inches across in a piece of pipe on the concrete flow-line between Sooke Lake and Esquimalt, the first caretaker's cabin, water from the flow line shot up in the air fifty feet. The abnormal weather conditions, it is believed, has not yet been possible to plug it, and it is believed to be quite a picturesque sight.

In spite of the emphasis placed on Victoria in material sent out by the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, Toronto Saturday Night are credited to Vancouver. "It just shows," remarked Frank Gloima, of the Bureau, "how essential it is that the confusion of Vancouver, Victoria and Esquimalt must be eliminated before we get the benefit of our own publicity."

Rather than oppose the details of the amendments to the Trades License by-law which was approved Monday afternoon, aldermen who were not in attendance at the meeting stand to be defeated. The measure is reviewed in May next. As a result, with a few modifications, the regulations stand to be amended. The half year from January 15 to July 15, giving a slightly increased revenue on the second half year of 1923.

A most pleasant "old year out and new year in" card party and dance was held in the hall of the 1230 Government Street on New Year's Eve. Twenty-five tables were filled at military five hundred, which feature of the programme terminated at eleven o'clock. Refreshments were then served and the floor cleared for dancing. Mr. William Crothall officiated at the piano and earned unstinted applause. Not until the New Year had been established a good three hours did the happy party turn its thoughts towards home.

Under the auspices of the tourist trade group of the Chamber of Commerce Winter entertainments along the lines of those held last year will open at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium next Wednesday. Each Wednesday a programme will be given for the benefit of prairie and other visitors, and the Kiwanis, Rotary, Gyro and One Hundred Per Cent. Clubs the dances and the Elks will be asked to assist as they did last year. The entertainments will not be thrown open to the general public as previously.

With the limited appropriations available at the city parks last year several improvements were carried out. Dangerous trees were felled at Beacon Hill, Douglas Street side, the old residence at Sudacona Park was removed, and other minor works carried out. This year it is hoped that some permanent work may be done. A cricket pitch at Beacon Hill, a tennis court at another park, and some other provisions for sports will be recommended by Alderman Woodward, who is chairman of the committee. There is a strong feeling in the Council that some provision will have to be made to the site of Ross Bay Cemetery in perpetuity.

The remains of the late Mrs. Mabel Joseph were laid to rest Monday morning. The cortege proceeded from the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, to St. Joseph's Church, where mass was said by the Rev. Father John F. Silver at 9 o'clock. The pallbearers were all relatives of the late Mrs. Joseph.

The funeral of Mr. Stephen La-coursiere, who passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital last Saturday, took place Monday afternoon, the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 9:30 o'clock, and at 10:30 o'clock Requiem Mass was said by the Rev. Father E. M. Schoelen. Relatives and many friends were in attendance and the many beautiful floral tributes testified to the high esteem in which the young man was held. The pallbearers were Messrs. Geo. Bryant, L. Fagan, W. Walker, H. Rochan, E. Borgegole and E. Bule. Interment was made in the West Saanich Catholic Cemetery.

Service over the remains of Miss Susie Ambler was conducted Monday afternoon in the B.C. Funeral Chapel by the Rev. Dr. Sippell in the presence of many friends. The hymns sung were "Rock of Ages" and "Lead, Kindly Light." The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. T. T. Knott, J. H. Baker, E. W. Whittington, D. T. Ballantyne, A. Wilson and A. Lee. Interment was made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

GOVERNMENT GIVES CITIES NEARLY A MILLION DOLLARS

New Distribution Out of Provincial Liquor Profits, Racing and Motor Taxes Is Big Increase Over Last Year; Victoria's Share \$95,722.

Almost a million dollars has been distributed by the British Columbia Government to the municipalities of the Province during the last week, according to figures made public at the Department of Finance here to-day.

The municipalities' share of liquor profits for the last six months and of pari-mutuel and motor taxes for the last year amount to \$983,590, these figures show. This is a big increase over the distribution made at the end of last year, when \$809,654 was handed over to the cities and organized districts.

JAPANESE FUND

Subscriptions received to date by the Red Cross Society, for relief of earthquake sufferers, are as follows:

Previously acknowledged	\$6,284.13
Sympathizer	2.00
Sympathizer	5.00
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Second Victoria Drive	174.15
Canadian Girl Guides	5.00
Total	\$6,296.63

"STOLEN" JEWELS FOUND

Mrs. Kosche's "Lost" Silverware for Which Police Were Searching, Now Discovered

Jewelry and antique silver, valued at \$200, was discovered yesterday by Mrs. H. Kosche, 392 Craigflower Road, cached in a trunk where it had lain forgotten.

Some weeks ago Mrs. Kosche reported to the Esquimalt police that the silverware was missing, and it was believed to have been stolen.

OBITUARY

Mass was celebrated at 9 o'clock this morning at St. Andrew's Cathedral for Mrs. Maria Keapock, Father Buckley officiating, before a attendance of about a few hours deceased. Mr. F. J. Schell was the soloist. The cortege then proceeded to Ross Bay, the casket being hidden under a mass of lovely floral tributes. Mons. Lefebvre officiated at the graveside and the following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Messrs. J. M. Mellis, J. Rice, F. S. Bone, A. Lawless, Dr. G. H. Haynes and N. Lawless.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Macdonald, of 615 Avalon Road, will take place on Thursday afternoon at 2:15 from the B. C. Funeral Chapel. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

Mrs. Jessie Sarah Miller, wife of Mr. John Miller, 722 Queen's Avenue, died at her home, 1230 Government Street, on New Year's Eve. She was born in Dorsetshire, England, and came to Victoria three years ago. Her husband and one daughter, Muriel, survive. The funeral will take place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick will conduct the service.

The death occurred at the Vancouver General Hospital yesterday of John Louis Stevenson, at the age of thirty-five. The deceased was a native of Glasgow, and had resided in Victoria for the past seven years. His wife died eighteen months ago leaving him with two stepchildren, Donald and Jessie, now doubly bereaved. Two sisters in Boston, Mass., also survive him. The funeral will take place on Friday at 2 o'clock from Sands Funeral Chapel.

There passed away on New Year's afternoon, at the residence of her son, 936 Courtney Street, Lydia Eliza Bradley, widow of the late J. A. Bradley, of Seattle, and two sons, John Alfred, of Seattle, and Ernest W. of Victoria. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

There passed away at a very late hour Monday night at St. Joseph's Hospital, Mary Alberta Mitchell, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mitchell, and granddaughter of Mrs. W. Allan, of 1930 Wychbury Avenue, Esquimalt, and the late A. E. Dunn. She was a native of Vancouver, B.C., where she was born six months ago, where she was born six months ago, where she was born six months ago, where she was born six months ago.

The remains of the late Mrs. Mabel Joseph were laid to rest Monday morning. The cortege proceeded from the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, to St. Joseph's Church, where mass was said by the Rev. Father John F. Silver at 9 o'clock. The pallbearers were all relatives of the late Mrs. Joseph.

The funeral of Mr. Stephen La-coursiere, who passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital last Saturday, took place Monday afternoon, the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 9:30 o'clock, and at 10:30 o'clock Requiem Mass was said by the Rev. Father E. M. Schoelen. Relatives and many friends were in attendance and the many beautiful floral tributes testified to the high esteem in which the young man was held. The pallbearers were Messrs. Geo. Bryant, L. Fagan, W. Walker, H. Rochan, E. Borgegole and E. Bule. Interment was made in the West Saanich Catholic Cemetery.

Service over the remains of Miss Susie Ambler was conducted Monday afternoon in the B.C. Funeral Chapel by the Rev. Dr. Sippell in the presence of many friends. The hymns sung were "Rock of Ages" and "Lead, Kindly Light." The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. T. T. Knott, J. H. Baker, E. W. Whittington, D. T. Ballantyne, A. Wilson and A. Lee. Interment was made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

CYRIL MAUDE CALLED HOME BY ILLNESS

Playing in Broadway Production Famous Actor Sails For England

Admirers of the celebrated English actor, Cyril Maude, and his equally famous wife, known on the stage as Mrs. Winifred Emery, will be deeply concerned to hear that he received a cablegram from New York reporting the serious illness of his wife in Switzerland. Mr. Maude, who for the past thirty-two weeks has been playing the leading role in a Broadway production, resigned his role to an understudy and within a few hours of receiving the news sailed on the Nieuw Amsterdam for his wife's bedside.

Welsh Society Celebrate Annual Christmas Tree

A very successful Christmas tree was held at the Foresters' Hall on New Year's night by the local Welsh Society. At 6 o'clock the children assembled and Santa Claus presented each child with a suitable present. This was followed by a supper for children and adults, after which fruits were handed to all.

An excellent programme was put on, which included a historical playlet called "The Enterprise of the Mayflower," by the Victoria Welsh Juvenile Players, under the direction of David Evans. Other items on the programme were piano-forte solos by pupils of Miss Bird, Miss J. Venees and others; fairy dances, Misses Mary and Irene Humphries; recitations, Miss Phyllis Williams and Iris Evans. Bob Thomas made an excellent Santa Claus.

Mrs. M. G. Hickey Passed This Morning

Mrs. M. R. Hickey, wife of Mr. Patrick Hickey, of this city, passed away this morning at the Mossfield Convalescent Home, after a lingering illness of several years' duration. The deceased lady was born in San

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Warns Bachelors to be on Their Guard; Leap Year is Here

The editor of Sunshine, the Rotary Club organ, advances some bold prophecies in this week's issue in the Rotary Horoscope for 1924 under the date December 22. He has Wallace Terry elected Mayor of Victoria. Jack O'Brien has had down to win a seat on the Police Board.

For November 15 he has the Rotary Club leaving the Chamber of Commerce to hold the weekly luncheon at the new Amusement Centre. Also for November he has down Lester Patrick's Cougars defending the world's hockey title. Under the date February 29 he

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Flannelette Gowns
Nice soft quality white Flannelette Gowns with round neck and short sleeves; value \$1.25. January Sale, each.....**89c**

Flannelette Gowns
Splendid quality white flannelette open front, V neck and long sleeves, also slip-over style with round neck and short sleeves. Neck and sleeves finished with lace edging; values to \$1.75. January Sale, each.....**\$1.39**

Flannelette Pyjamas
Good grade white flannelette, two-piece style, V neck, long sleeves and patch pockets trimmed with colored stitching. January Sale, per suit.....**\$1.98**

Flannelette Drawers
Full cut garments, wide or tight knee, plain or lace trimmed with fitted waist band. January Sale, per pair.....**89c**

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Nice soft flannelette in white only, deep flounce; others in straight style with button hole edge, draw string at waist line. January Sale, each.....**\$1.19**

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Good quality print Aprons in light or dark colors; medium or large sizes; values to \$1.00. January Sale, each.....**79c**

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Best quality English taffeta silk or heavy quality satin, neat pleated flounces, others hemstitched; a large variety of shades; values to \$6.50. January Sale, each.....**\$3.98**

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Combinations
Medium weight fleece-lined cotton with long sleeves and ankle length, closed crotch; sizes 2 to 14 years; values to \$1.75. January Sale, per suit.....**89c**

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Cotton and wool mixture Combinations, long sleeves and ankle length; sizes 2 to 14 years; values to \$2.50. January Sale, per suit.....**\$1.29**

Infants' White Coats
In splendid quality corduroy velvet or blanket cloth, straight style with turn-down collar, lined throughout with flannelette; sizes 1 to 3 years; values to \$3.95. January Sale, each.....**\$2.98**

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Dainty little bonnets in silk, rep and corduroy; plain or Dutch styles, trimmed with satin ribbon bows; values to \$1.95. January Sale, each.....**79c**

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Heavy Quality Crepe de Chine Overblouses, trimmed with fine tucks, or with monogram embroidered. Others in brocade crepe. Smart jacquettes with surplice collar, neatly tucked. long sleeves with neat-fitting cuffs. Come in sand, cocoa, peach, navy and black; **\$8.98** values to \$14.50. January Sale.....

White Voile Blouses
Good washing Voile Blouses with neat roll collar, finished with lace edging, V or square neck; fronts neatly tucked and long sleeves. January Sale.....**\$1.19**

Hosiery and Gloves at Sale Prices

Women's All-wool Hose

Imported from England; with wide hem tops and applied heels and toes; in black or tan; sizes 5 1/2 to 10. January Sale, per pair.....**59c**

Hudsonia All-wool Hose

Heavy weight Cashmere Hose with wide suspender tops, deep hem and reinforced at heels and toes; in black, white, seal, coating, brown, purple and grey; sizes 5 1/2 to 10. January Sale, per pair.....**\$1.10**

Black Cashmere Hose
With natural wool soles, English make, strong hem tops and reinforced feet; sizes 5 1/2 to 10; value \$1.35. January Sale, per pair.....**98c**

Fibre Silk Hose

With novelty fronts, deep hem tops and reinforced heels and toes; in black and cordovan; sizes 5 1/2 to 10. January Sale, per pair.....**89c**

Glove Silk Hose

Kayser, Niagara Maid and Queen Quality makes, in grey, brown, navy, pink, nude and fawn; sizes 5 1/2 to 10; values to \$4.50. January Sale, per pair.....**\$2.75**

Children's Golf Hose
English made from heavy worsted yarns, with turn-down embroidered tops, applied heels and toes, shaped legs; in heather, Lovat, grey, black and brown shades; sizes 5 1/2 to 9. January Sale, per pair.....**59c**

Broken Assortments in Children's Hose
Including brown lisle, green heather wool hose and 1-ribbed wool hose in brown only; sizes 4 1/2 to 6 1/2; values to 65c. January Sale, per pair.....**35c**

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String Bags

String Bags with double handles, made from brown string and useful for carrying parcels; value 10c. January Sale, each.....**8c**

Shoe Laces

Black or brown mohair Shoe Laces, flat or round; 36, 45 and 54 inches long; value 5c. January Sale, 7 pairs for.....**25c**

Tattooing Shuttles

Bone or nickel; value 20c. January Sale, each.....**20c**

Lingerie Braid

Silk Braid in white, pink, sky, helle, etc; value 3c a yard. January Sale, 5 yards for.....**10c**

Safety Pins

In bunches of 50, assorted sizes. January Sale, per bunch.....**8c**

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12 on a card, good nickel pins in all sizes; value 5c. January Sale, 2 cards for.....**10c**

1/4-lb. Boxes of Pins

Useful for banks, offices and dress-makers, best brass pins with needle points, assorted sizes. January Sale, per box.....**22c**

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Made from real human hair in cap or fringe shapes, all shades in stock; value 10c. January Sale, 4 for.....**29c**

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In this lot you will find an assortment of styles to suit all figures. Low, medium or high bust lines with varying skirt lengths; also a number of the low elastic top models. Gossard front Lace Corsets for average type in pink with white coutil, medium in all proportions with elastic inserts; sizes 21 to 32; values to \$5.00. January Sale.....**\$2.49**

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Vests and Drawers

Medium weight, slightly fleeced. Vests with low neck, strap shoulders or short sleeves, also high neck and long sleeves. Drawers in open and closed styles, knee length; sizes 34 to 40. January Sale, per garment.....**79c**

Combinations

Light weight knit cotton with low neck, strap shoulders or short sleeves. Tailored or finished with silk stitch edging; sizes 36 to extra outsize, but not all sizes in any one style; values to \$1.50. January Sale, per suit.....**98c**

Girls' Smart Coats

In blanket cloth, tweed or velour; tailored styles with convertible collars, two large patch pockets and all-round belt. Also smart dressy Coats, fur trimmed, in shades of sand, reindeer, brown and blue; values to \$15.00. January Sale, each.....**\$11.98**

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In this group are smart crepe knit, tricotette and crepe de Chine Overblouses. All smart styles in shades of orchid, brown, green, blue, grey and pretty floral effects; values to \$6.50. January Sale.....**\$3.98**

White Voile Blouses

Good washing Voile Blouses with neat roll collar, finished with lace edging, V or square neck; fronts neatly tucked and long sleeves. January Sale.....**\$1.19**

Broken Assortments in Women's Gloves

The assortment includes washable Chamlois Gloves in white, hand sewn in black, with two pearl button fasteners; sizes 5 1/2, 6 1/2 and 7 1/2. White Kid Gloves with silk points; sizes 5 1/2 to 7. French Kid Gloves in black and white; sizes 5 1/2 to 7 1/2; value \$2.50. January Sale, per pair.....**89c**

French Kid Gloves

Made from specially selected skins, with two dome fasteners, pique sewn, fancy embroidered points; in black, grey, brown, heather, pastel, tan, white or black; sizes 5 1/2 to 7 1/2; values to \$2.75. January Sale, per pair.....**\$1.69**

Mocha Gauntlet Gloves

Heavy quality, with strap wrist, pique sewn, self points; in tan, grey or heather; sizes 6 to 7 1/2. January Sale, per pair.....**\$1.98**

Women's Chamloisette Gloves

With two dome fasteners, self points, in mode, pongee, natural, black and white; sizes 5 1/2, 6 1/2 and 7. January Sale, per pair.....**59c**

Mocha Gauntlet Gloves

With fur cuffs and elastic shirred wrist, pique sewn seam, in tan or grey; sizes 6 to 7. January Sale, per pair.....**\$2.69**

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With turn-back cuffs, in grey, brown, heather, fancy embroidered points; sizes 6 to 7 1/2; value \$3.50. January Sale, per pair.....**\$2.59**

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Rich Duchess Satin, in colors	Stanley Crepes, in colors
Heavy Wash Satins, in colors	Printed Crepes
Chiffon Taffetas, in colors	Printed Poplins
Paillettes, in self and two-tone effects	British Spun Silks

Values to \$2.95, January Sale, per yard **\$1.69**

36-inch Vella Vella	40-inch Heavy Crepe de Chine
In wanted colorings, including black; value \$3.75, January Sale, per yard	In colors and ivory; value \$3.75, January Sale, per yard
40-inch Printed Egyptian Silk	38-inch Two-tone Broche Satins
Value \$2.95, January Sale, per yard	Value \$4.75, January Sale, per yard

Dependable Black Silks at January Sale Prices

36-inch Black Chiffon Taffeta	36-inch Black Duchesse Satin
Value \$2.50, January Sale, per yard	Value \$2.50, January Sale, per yard
38-inch Black Chiffon Taffeta	38-inch Black Duchesse Satin
Value \$2.75, January Sale, per yard	Value \$2.95, January Sale, per yard
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Dress Velveteens and Velvets

27-inch Twill Back Velveteens	38-inch Twill Back Velveteens
In Copen, tiel, mid-brown, olive, navy, golden brown, rose, wine, ivory and black. January Sale, per yard	In shades of nigger, myrtle, wine, damson and electric. January Sale, per yard
38-inch Twill Back Velveteens	38-inch Silk Chiffon Velvets
In royal, grey, henna, paeon, nigger, rose and myrtle. January Sale, per yard	

Anticipate Your Spring Requirements in Suitings and Coatings and Save Money

44-inch Pure Wool Coating Velours	54-inch Winter Coatings, \$1.98 a Yard
All colors, value \$3.95, January Sale, per yard	A very special offering in Coatings for women's and misses' wear. Shown in dark mixed colorings; 54 inches wide; value \$2.95, January Sale, per yard
54-inch Jacquard Coating Velours	54-inch Wool Tweeds
All colors, value \$4.75, January Sale, per yard	Weights for suits and separate skirts for women and misses. Shown in medium mixture effects, also in novelty stripes; value \$2.00, January Sale, per yard
54-inch Woven Jacquard Coating Velours	
All colors; value \$5.95, January Sale, per yard	
54-inch Coatings	
With plaid and stripe reverse; value \$3.95, January Sale, per yard	

500 Yards of Wool Fabrics

For Dresses, Suits and Separate Skirts, \$1.49 a Yard
Including 54-inch Novelty Homespuns, 54-inch Fluke Homespuns, 54-inch Novelty Plaids, 54-inch Striped Crepes, 42-inch Pure Wool Poplins and 42-inch Silk-finished Henriettas; values to \$4.95, January Sale, per yard **\$1.49**

Sale Bargains in the Men's Dept.

Negligee Shirts
Good quality percale Shirts, in neat colored stripes. Full cut and with double cuffs; sizes 14 to 17. January Sale, each **\$1.39**

Khaki Flannel Shirts
Well cut Shirts, in khaki shade, made with attached or separate collar; all sizes; value \$3.50. January Sale, each **\$2.89**

Muleskin Work Gloves
Suitable for round the house or working in the garden; 39c January Sale, per pair

Cotton Work Gloves
Strong quality Cotton Work Gloves for wearing around the house. 240 pairs only. Not more than 5 pairs to a customer. January Sale, per pair **10c**

All-wool Ribbed Shirts and Drawers
All-wool ribbed garments. Shirts made with double breast and drawers with strong waist band; all sizes, January Sale, per garment **\$1.69**

Coste Combinations
Pure wool combinations in white and natural shade. Full fashioned garments that fit perfectly in every way; sizes 34 to 44. January Sale, per suit **\$7.95**

English Cravenette Coats
Made from all-wool cravenette in dark grey shade. Smart raglan style and a better coat cannot be made; sizes 34, 36, 38 and 40. Just 4 to go at half-price; value \$42.50. January Sale **\$21.25**

Smart Tweed Suits
English Tweed Suits in dark grey and fancy brown mixture shades. Smart two and three-button models for all men. Best of tailoring throughout; sizes 34 to 42; values to \$15.00. January Sale **\$24.95**

Hand-Tailored Winter Overcoats
All new stock in the best of tweeds, in light and medium shades. All check back cloths and every coat hand-tailored throughout. 15 only to clear; broken sizes; value \$60.00. January Sale **\$49.95**

English Gabardine Coats
Made from cotton gabardine in fawn shade. Belted models with raglan sleeves, lined throughout with Lee's of Galashields all wool tweed; sizes 34 to 42; value \$35.00. January Sale **\$26.95**

English Gabardine Coats
Smart raglan models with interlining, making a waterproof coat and also a detachable all-wool lining; two coats in one. All sizes; value \$25.00. January Sale **\$19.95**

Prices on Boys' Clothing and Furnishings Away Below Regular

Boys' Double Belted Suits
Smart belted and belted models. Made from all-wool tweeds in grey and fancy herringbone mixture. Bloomers are made double in seat and knees. Sizes 9 to 14 years; values to \$15.50. January Sale **\$12.95**

English Belted Suits
Plain belted coats, made from strong quality tweeds in brown and grey mixture shades. Well made in every way; sizes 8 to 15 years; values to \$9.95. January Sale **\$5.95**

Boys' Wool Gloves
English Knit Wool Gloves in grey and heather shades; close-knit; sizes to fit boys 4 to 12 years. January Sale, per pair **25c**

Boys' Panman 95 Combinations
Mothers will welcome this change to secure this famous underwear at a great saving. Made in knee or ankle length style; sizes 22 to 26. January Sale, per suit **\$1.98**

Boys' Eton Caps
English Made Eton Caps in fine blue serge, with blue silk trimming; 36 only of these in all sizes; value 72c. January Sale, per cap **29c**

Children's Tweed Hats
Smart shapes in good quality tweeds in grey, brown and green; sizes 3 to 8 years. Limited quantity; value 40c. January Sale **40c**

Four Leaders in Towels

White Turkish Face Towels	Big White Turkish Bath Towels
January Sale, 6 for \$1.00	Size 23 by 56, value \$1.25, January Sale, each 98c
White Turkish Bath Towels	Sturdy Huck Towels
Size 23 by 46, value \$1.00, January Sale, each 69c	Size 23 by 38, value 75c, January Sale, each 49c

Big Dinnerware Values For Thursday

51-Piece English Semi Porcelain Sets	Exquisite Hand-painted Etched Gold China
Decidedly new decorations in blue, canary and rose colored conventional border design. January Sale, per set \$15.95	This is some of the finest ware we show, consisting of Nut Bowls, Fruit Dishes, Sugars and Creams, Mayonnaise, etc. value \$2.50 to \$12.00. January Sale \$1.75 to \$6.00
Nippon China Full 96-Piece Sets	100 Dozen Plain White Fine China Cups and Saucers
Dainty rose spray design, full 96 pieces; value \$100.00. January Sale, per set \$50.00	These are dainty cups and saucers and nice enough for afternoon tea use. Jan. Sale, 4 for 89c

Sporting Goods Specials

Nickel-plated Pleasure Tube Skates	Boys' Ice Skates
Heavily nickel-plated frame and narrow nickel steel blades. The ideal skate for rink use; stylish and \$4.95	Snappy models, nicely finished and strongly made; value \$2.50. January Sale \$1.95
Fibre Shin Pads	Captain Golf Balls
Suitable for ice or street hockey; value \$1.25. January Sale 95c	Regulation size and weight. January Sale 3 for \$1.25

Buy Blankets, Sheets, Pillow Cottons and Bedspreads Now at These Sale Prices

Double Bed Size White Pure Wool Blankets
There will be a rush for these Thursday Morning, so be early. Woven from thoroughly scoured pure wool yarns and finished with blue borders; size 72 by 90, weight 8 pounds. Value \$10.00. January Sale, per pair **\$7.98**

White Pure Wool Scotch Blankets
Size 64 by 80, weight 6 pounds. January Sale, per pair **\$7.98**

Superfine Wool Blankets
Size 60 by 86, weight 6 pounds. January Sale, per pair **\$9.75**

Fine Saxony Blankets
Size 72 by 90. January Sale, per pair **\$10.95**

Genuine Whitney Blankets
Size 72 by 94, weight 3 pounds. January Sale, per pair **\$11.49**

Crib Blankets
Size 36 by 58. January Sale, per pair **\$2.98**

Grey Pure Wool Blankets
An exceptional offering in Grey Wool Blankets, made from thick soft lofty yarns in a clear shade of grey. Size 70 by 90, value \$10.50. January Sale, per pair **\$7.98**

Cotton-filled Comforters
Only a limited number offered at this low price. Covered in excellent quality cambric and well filled with fine sanitary cotton; size 66 by 72. January Sale, each **\$2.98**

Down Comforters All Reduced in Price
Covered in sateen, silk, satin and sateen and satin well ventilated.

Heavy Linen Finished Circular Pillow Cotton
500 yards of fully bleached Circular Pillow Cotton, free from filling, 42 and 44 inches wide; value 60c. January Sale, per yard **49c**

White Flannelettes
An excellent flannelette for gowns. Woven from pure cotton yarns of a close texture ensuring excellent wear; 36 inches wide; value 50c. January Sale, per yard **37c**

Towelings at January Prices
16-inch Linen Crash. January Sale, per yard **19c**
18-inch Huck Toweling. January Sale, per yard **29c**
15-inch Colored Turkish Toweling. January Sale, per yard **22c**
16-inch Colored Turkish Toweling. January Sale, per yard **27c**
24-inch Tea Towelings. January Sale, per yard **29c**
20-inch Check Glass Toweling. January Sale, per yard **22c**
24-inch White Turkish Toweling. January Sale, per yard **33c**

Roller Towels
All ready to hang on the roller. Made from heavy linen crash with red border down both sides; 2 1/2 yards long. January Sale, each **49c**

Extra Special Footwear Bargains

Women's Boots
Including Russia calf and black kid street or walking lace boots, with Goodyear welted soles and medium Cuban heels; values to \$8.00. January Sale, per pair **\$4.98**

Women's Skating Boots
The McPherson Light Hitch Brand Skating Boots, in tan grain leather. latest style and pattern; value \$6.00. January Sale, per pair **\$4.98**

Women's Oxfords and Strap Pumps
A large assortment in this group. Oxfords in black kid, tan calf and patent leather. Cuban and military heels. Goodyear welted soles; one-strap pumps in black satin, black kid, patent leather also patent leather colonial pumps with black suede trimming. Cuban, and Spanish heels; values to \$9.00. January Sale, per pair **\$5.98**

Women's Street Oxfords
Quality patent leather street Oxfords with welted soles, smart Cuban heels; also smart black vici kid Oxfords with Cuban heels. Values to \$7.00. January Sale **\$4.98**

Big Clearance of Dolls and Toys

It is our policy to clean up, after each toy season, all Toys left over, in order to open up with fresh new stocks. One-Third off all Toys in stock except wheel goods and Meccano. Twenty Per cent off any Doll in stock. Odd Tables, with some slightly scratched Toys and soiled Dolls — Half-Price. — Lower Main Floor

Sheets and Pillow Cases at Savings
Fully Bleached Hemmed Sheets
January Sale, per pair **\$2.98**
Size 72 by 90. January Sale, per pair **\$3.98**
Size 80 by 90. January Sale, per pair **\$4.98**
Size 72 by 90. January Sale, per pair **\$4.50**
Size 80 by 90. January Sale, per pair **\$5.50**

Fully Bleached Hemstitched Sheets
Size 72 by 90. January Sale, per pair **\$4.98**
Size 80 by 90. January Sale, per pair **\$5.98**

English Pillow Cases
Made from heavy linen finished cotton. Pillow Cases that retain their good looking appearance after washing. 42-inch. January Sale, each **39c**

42-inch Hemmed Pillow Cases
January Sale, each **43c**

42-inch Hemstitched Pillow Cases
January Sale, each **59c**

42-inch Hemstitched Pillow Cases
January Sale, each **59c**

42-inch Hemstitched Pillow Cases
January Sale, each **75c**

Printed Damask Bedspreads
Rich Damask Bedspreads printed in many charming designs on cream grounds. The color combinations are all that can be desired to harmonize with your bedroom drapes; size 70 by 90, value \$4.75. January Sale, each **\$2.98**

Marcella and Honeycomb Bedspreads at Clearing Prices
Snow White Marcella Bedspreads
Size 66 by 85, value \$4.95. January Sale, each **\$3.98**
Size 72 by 94, value \$4.95. January Sale, each **\$3.98**
Size 68 by 85, value \$5.00. January Sale, each **\$4.98**
Size 72 by 95, value \$5.00. January Sale, each **\$4.98**
Size 76 by 94, value \$5.95. January Sale, each **\$5.98**
Size 81 by 100, value \$5.95. January Sale, each **\$5.98**

Honeycomb Bedspreads
Size 75 by 96, value \$2.50. January Sale, each **\$2.98**
Size 75 by 96, value \$4.50. January Sale, each **\$3.98**
Size 78 by 100, value \$5.50. January Sale, each **\$4.98**

Mill Ends of Snow-white Nainsook at 19c Yard
1,000 yards in the lot, in lengths of 1 to 10 yards. Light, medium and heavy weights, for all purposes. 36 inches wide. Values to 50c.

Wonderful value at **19c** per yard

Very Low Prices on Pure Linen Table Cloths and Napkins
Pure Linen Cloths
Size 72 x 72. January Sale, **\$5.98, \$6.98, \$7.98**
and **\$9.98**
Size 72 x 90. January Sale, **\$7.98, \$8.98** and **\$12.98**
Size 90 x 90. January Sale **\$7.98**
Size 72 x 108. January Sale **\$10.98**
Size 90 x 108. January Sale **\$7.98**
Size 72 x 144. January Sale **\$9.75**

Pure Linen Napkins
January Sale, per doz. **\$4.98, \$5.98, \$6.98, \$7.98** and **\$10.98**

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"Classic" and "McFarlane" Lace Boots, in black velour calf and tan Russia calf; stout soles, natural shape lasts; sizes 6 to 10 1/2. Values to \$3.75. January Sale, per pair **\$2.98**

Women's Strap Pumps
A large range of black kid one-strap pumps with turn or welted soles and Cuban heels. January Sale, per pair **\$3.98**

Men's Boots
British made boots of excellent quality tan and brown calf, leather lined, full bellows tongue, 18 and 20 gauge oak soles; also Euknemidia waterproof soles; all sizes; values to \$10.00. January Sale, per pair **\$7.98**

Men's Boots
Business and walking boots, with single and double soles. Goodyear welted. Made from fine black velour and black box calf, also brown Russia calf; all sizes; values to \$8.00. January Sale, per pair **\$5.98**

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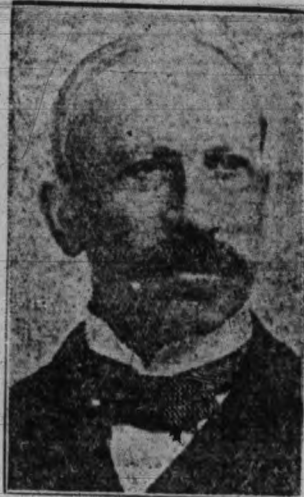
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THE TIMES DAILY PICTURE PAGE

France's Mysterious Airship Disaster



LORD MILNER, head of the protection investigation committee appointed by Premier Baldwin has decided to dissolve that organization. This may indicate the abandonment of the tariff platform altogether by the Conservative Party.



CHINESE—Miss Grace Zhi, of Shanghai, a student at Wellesley College, Mass., has been chosen as a delegate to attend a convention of church workers soon to be held in Indianapolis to discuss religious and social problems.



TERMINUS OF RAILWAY—ILL-FATED AIRSHIP DIXMUDE WAS TO MAP OUT.—Timbuctoo, a portion of which is shown above, is to be the terminus of the trans-Saharan military railway, for which the French airship Dixmude, started out to map out a route. The dirigible was reported seen by natives 300 miles south of Ain Salah headed for Timbuctoo before she became a loss. Below is a typical reed-roofed house of the Sahara cases.



LEADS BOVINE "400"—And speaking of aristocrats. Well, you shouldn't forget "Broadus White Sox." He is the world's champion steer. Judge William Reid of Essex, Eng., said at the recent International Live Stock Exposition in Chicago. Broadus—what a pretty name—is owned by A. A. Armstrong & Son of Carmargo, Ill.

BOOTLEGGERS' LADY NEMESIS.—The bootlegger's Nemesis is not Izzy Einstein, Gotham's demon prohibition sleuth. Nor is it "Lone Wolf" Asher, whose nose for synthetic gin has located the lair of countless rum caches. It is not even Roy Haynes, crusading prohibition commissioner, nor is it any of his staff. Instead, it's a brown-haired, brown-eyed little woman of thirty-four, who admits her age, possesses a firm chin and abundant energy and has a head full of ideas and the keen intelligence with which to apply them effectively. Her name is Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt. Officially she is an assistant attorney-general of the United States, in charge of the legal end of enforcing the prohibition and tax laws.



BARON GOTO, Japanese home minister, has resigned office following the attempted assassination of the Prince Regent, for which he assumes nominal responsibility.



PRINCE VIGGO, of Denmark, shown above, has followed the example of his brother Erik, and renounced his right of succession to the Danish throne, in order to marry Miss Eleanor Margaret Green, of New York.



JOHN R. BOOTH, Nonagenarian lumberman and multi-millionaire of Ottawa, and grandfather of Miss Lois Booth, who is to wed Prince Erik of Denmark.

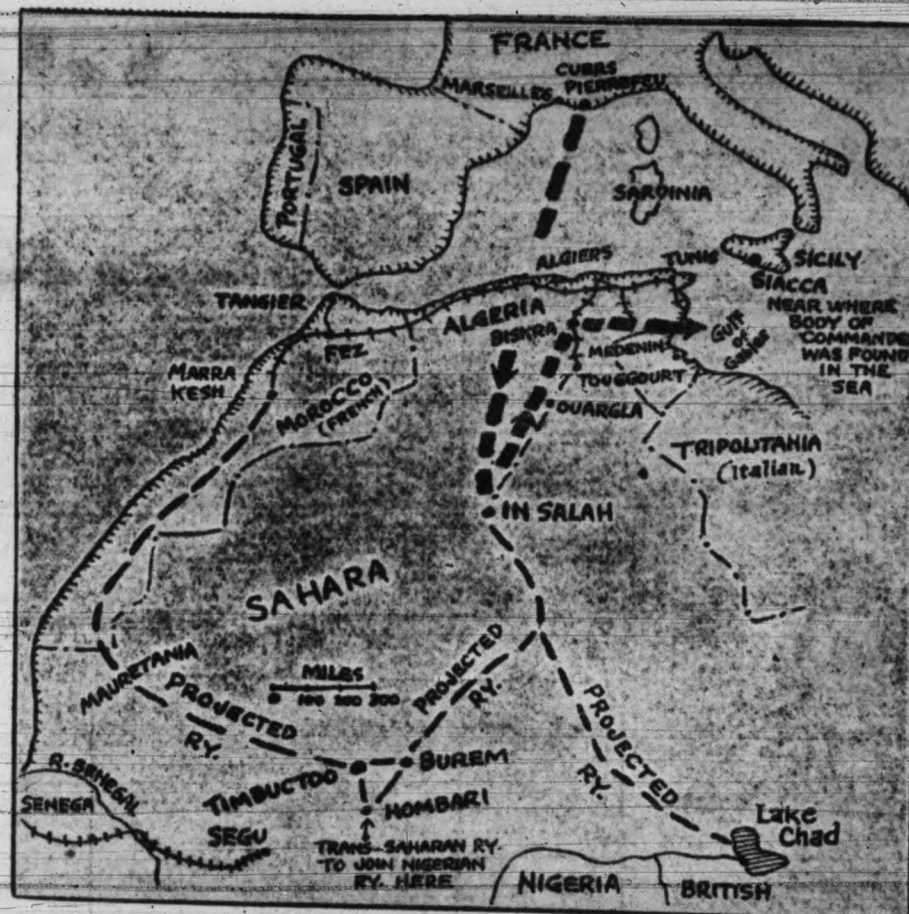
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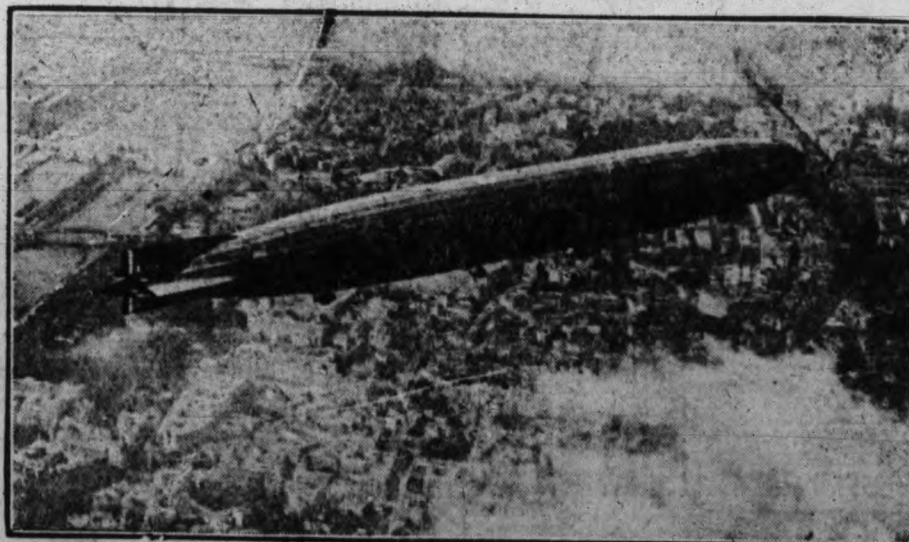
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SEARCH FOR LOST AIRSHIP ON TWO CONTINENTS.—This map shows the town of Sicca, off the coast of Sicily, where the body of the captain of the missing French plane Dixmude was found. Wanderings of the Dixmude, up to the time it was last heard of, are shown by arrows.



THE GIANT FRENCH AIRSHIP DIXMUDE, with fifty persons aboard, has been missing for more than a week. It is feared it may have been lost in the sea or have fallen into the wastes of the Sahara desert.



THEY START YOUNG.—Over in Soviet Russia they begin training soldiers early in life. Look at these youngsters, mere boys. They are put through the same rigid course of training as older soldiers. Photo made near Charkow during a demonstration in which 100,000 soldiers participated.



POOR YORICK!—The cigar-store wooden Indian, so familiar to our parents, is back again—and right in New York City! On 42nd Street, close to the White Light District, the above "Indian" smote the eyes of passers-by. And it collected a crowd, too.



SPLENDOR.—Recent dispatches from Luxor, Egypt, describe the shrine of Tutankhamen as "overwhelming" in its magnificence. Howard Carter, in charge of excavations is shown here at the drawing board, where he carefully records all objects before they are removed from the tomb.



ALLEY CAT.—An "alley cat" won a blue ribbon at the Atlantic Cat Show at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, New York City. "Snooter" is the cat's name.



JOSEPH CAILLAUX, former French Premier, who was tried and acquitted on a charge of treason at the close of the war, is re-entering political life.

Wall Street TO-DAY

Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

New York, Jan. 2
STOCKS FIRM ON PROFIT-TAKING SALES

R. P. Clark & Co.—The New Year was ushered in with considerable optimism expected in general reviews of the situation and encouraging remarks as to the oil stocks are not absent. As for the stock market it today there was considerable scattered selling in evidence in various departments of the list but the selling did not seem to carry any special significance. Most of the offerings in fact seemed to be chiefly representative of a desire to take profits on some long holdings.

Coppers displayed a much improved tone on related recognition of the constructive factor in the red metal situation and the belief that industries are in for better times. Governor Smith's annual message containing recommendation for a revision downward of taxes made a very favorable impression on sentiment. We do not believe that there will be any material reaction in prices, and continue to feel that the constructive factors in the general situation warrant the expectation of higher stock market prices.

QUIETER MARKET IN NEW YORK STOCKS

B.A. Bonds: The stock market opened the new year in a rather quiet way. What strength there was came into stocks which have done very little during the past fortnight. The copper stocks gained one to two points with American Smelters in the lead. Davison Chemical, which has been weak for some time, seems to have turned the corner and Maxwell Motors put on 45 quite easily. No many traders feel that the copper stocks rally at the tail end of a bull movement so often that other stocks should be sold, but their selling did not get the balance of the market down very much and the close was firm at only fractional declines from Monday's last quotations. The volume of business was on a much reduced scale and there was no important news marketwise. With a little resting spell around prevailing quotations the market would soon be in a strong technical position. The close was at slight advances from the day's low with the strong features closing near the top.

TWO BOND ISSUES MAY BE NECESSARY

SUGAR
New York, Jan. 2.—Raw sugar, 9.31; refined granulated, 5.70 to 5.80.

As an outcome of the conference between city officials and representatives of the Bank of Montreal on Monday, it is expected that the flotation of the city bonds either as one issue or two will depend upon the arrangement made in connection with the local improvement refunding bonds of \$400,000 which must be provided on January 21. It appears that if the bank can provide for the immediate situation, the city may issue the refunding bonds and the bank overdraft debentures at one time, probably next month, but if the local improvement issue is not taken care of by some temporary expedient at the bank, an immediate issue to refund it will be imperative. As both issues will bear the same rate of interest, it has been hoped for some time they would be marketed together. There, however, is a technical distinction in handling them, in that the improvement issue by-law has already been registered formally in court.

The other subject taken up at the conference, it is believed, was that of the annual bank loan secured against the taxes. It is hoped to go through with borrowing only \$600,000 in the current twelve months.

Comptroller Macdonald does not expect to have the estimates ready until about two weeks from today. Some of the department figures are not yet in, although the figures for them is called by the council for January 15.

NEW YORK COTTON

(By R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)
Oct. Open High Low Last
Dec. 24.40 24.40 24.35 24.35
Jan. 24.40 24.40 24.35 24.35
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TO-DAY'S TRADING IN WINNIPEG MARKETS

Winnipeg, Jan. 2.—There was a fair degree of activity on the Winnipeg wheat market today, a firm under and prices fractionally higher throughout the session. May wheat opened 4 1/2 higher to 100, but was very strong for a long time at 9 1/2. The offerings were not large, but it was believed that undoubtedly there was a large amount of wheat for sale around 100.

Wheat—Open High Low Close
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JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

A JANUARY CLEARANCE Of Women's and Misses' Coats



Tailored Coats made of most excellent materials; smart styles with slash or patch pockets and strap sleeves. Each has a neat belt with buckle and are half lined. Sizes 14 to 44. Clearing at **\$12.90**

Superior Grade Tailored Coats, Raglan and semi-tailored styles. They are finished with side tie, patch pockets and storm cuffs. Shown in plain or check effects and fully lined. Sand, grey, brown, blue, fawn. Sizes 16 to 44. Clearing at **\$24.90**

Fur-trimmed Coats of all-wool velours, marcella and Bolivia cloths, some beautifully embroidered. There are wrap-over styles with smart buckle, others with side tie. They have American opossum and French beaver collars, are fully lined with silk and shown in shades of brown, navy, fawn and sepia. Values to **\$39.90**

Fur-trimmed or Tailored Coats of frieze or Cheviot cloths, in stylish mixtures, made with Raglan and set-in sleeves, inverted back and shoulder pleats, tailored collars and half lined. Some have leather buttons. Sizes 14 to 44. **\$16.90**

Coats of All-wool Velour, fur-trimmed and plain collars, side tie and two button effects. Russian back and straight styles, some fastened at side with neat buckle and fully lined. Shades brown, sand, navy and black. Sizes 16 to 50. Values to \$49.50. Clearing for **\$29.00**

High-grade Coats made in wrappy styles and trimmed with fitch fur or French beaver collars and cuffs. They are fully lined and beautifully embroidered. The materials include poiret twill, broadcloth, marvella and bolivia cloths. Sizes range from 16 to 44. Values to \$125.00. Clearing at **\$49.90**

—Mantles, First Floor

A January Sale of Corsets

Back-lace Corsets with French back, elastic through waist line, and laced below front clasp with elastic lacing; free hip, long skirt and four strong hose supporters. For tall figures; sizes 21 to 28. Regular \$3.75. Sale price **\$2.50**

Front-lace Corsets for the average figure with medium low bust, top trimmed with silk braid elastic inset across back; four hose supporters, four hooks below clasp, made of pink coutil and suitable for the slender to medium figure; sizes 22 to 28. Reg. \$3.00 for **\$1.95**

Back-lace Corsets of pink coutil, with elastic top, free hip, long skirt, four hose supporters, top trimmed with silk braid, suitable for the medium figure; size 21 to 28. Reg. \$3.50 value for **\$1.95**

—Corsets, First Floor

The Greatest Silk Bargain of the Year

36-Inch Black Chiffon Velvet **\$4.50**
Value \$6.75—on Sale at, a Yard

This is a silk bargain, and such a bargain as comes to your notice only once in a great while. The Chiffon Velvet is rich looking in finish and the correct weight in texture to assure of graceful draping when made into dresses. And there is nothing more beautiful than a well-made chiffon velvet dress. This is your chance to possess one at a low cost.

—Silks, Main Floor

A JANUARY SALE OF DRESSES

Dresses of serge, tricotine, Canton crepe and poiret twill, navy or black and fashioned in coat or wrap-around styles. They are trimmed with fancy or military braid, have long sleeves, roll collars and are neatly belted. Very desirable for Spring-time wear; sizes 16 to 48. Values to \$25.00. Clearing for **\$9.90**

Dresses of Canton, Georgette, crepe de Chine and wool crepes suitable for general or afternoon wear. They are offered in all desirable shades, have long or three-quarter sleeves and trimmed with embroidery, braid and picot edge. A great variety of styles; sizes 16 to 40; values to \$35.00. Clearing at **\$15.90**

A number of models imported from Europe made of Georgette and Canton crepe. Attractively designed and featuring the slender silhouette, artistically trimmed with braid and beads. There are also a number of Adair models with dainty touches of hand work that is greatly appreciated by women of refined taste. These frocks are in shades of coral, tangerine, peacock blue, fawn, cocoa, brown, pearl, platinum, grey, taupe, lemon, black and henna; sizes 16 to 44. Values to \$49.50. Clearing for **\$24.90**

An offering of fascinating French models, for afternoon or evening wear. These portray in a masterly style the creative individuality of the designs. The materials are plain brocade Canton and Georgette crepes in shades of jade and lemon greens, pink, rose, flame and American beauty, sky and robin egg blue, orange. All-over bead, sequin and metallic lace trimming in elaborate and tasteful design; sizes 16 to 44. Values to \$85.00. Clearing at **\$38.90**

—Mantles, First Floor



A January Clearance of Blouses

Tricolette Blouses in fancy weave or dropstitch, made over-blouse style with short sleeves round or V necks and band or tie waists. Many shades to choose from; sizes 36 to 40. Clearance price **\$2.49**

Blouses of crepe de Chine, tricolette or Georgette, in over-blouse or tuck-in style, with short or long sleeves, Peter Pan, convertible collars or round neck styles; blue, grey, fawn, navy and black; sizes 34 to 44. Values to \$7.95. Clearing at **\$3.95**

Crepe de Chine and Georgette Blouses, in over-blouse style, with long, short or three-quarter sleeves. They are trimmed with Paisley, radium lace, hemstitching or hands of crepe knit, in Paisley designs. Many shades to select from. Values to \$15.00 for **\$7.95**

—Blouses, First Floor

Women's Sweaters

Values to \$7.95 **\$2.98**
for

Heavy Winter Sweaters, rib weave and in pullover style with long sleeves semi-Tuxedo collar, two pockets and narrow belts. The shades are American beauty, navy and white, turquoise and white, black and white. There are also Jersey cloth sweaters made Tuxedo style with tucks in back and on pockets, or plain styles. The shades are green, American beauty, peacock, rose and purple; \$7.95 values for, each **\$2.98**

—Sweaters, First Floor

Women's Flannelette Wear At Reduced Prices

Nightgowns of white flannelette in slipover styles, white and colors; regular \$1.25 for **89¢**

Gowns of white and striped flannelette, slipover and button-front styles, \$1.50 value for **\$1.15**

Gowns of flannelette in slipover styles trimmed with heavy lace insertion, others in button styles; Values \$2.50 for **\$1.45**

Gowns of extra good grade flannelette. Values to \$2.75 for **\$1.90**

Women's Stripe Flannelette Petticoats, regular 75¢ for **59¢**

Petticoats of heavy white flannelette, trimmed with lace. Regular \$1.95, **98¢**

Bloomers of heavy grey flannelette. Regular \$1.25 for **98¢**

Chemise of good grade white flannelette, trimmed with heavy lace. Value \$1.25, for **89¢**

—Whitewear, First Floor



All Our Plain Tailored Suits

Values to \$85.00, on Sale at, Each

\$25.00

Tweed Suits, smartly tailored, with narrow belts and slit or patch pockets. They are silk lined and shown in mixtures of blue, green, grey and taupe. Tailored suits of velour, serge and tricotine. Made in straight lines, with narrow belts and finished with fancy stitching or self trimming. They are silk lined and in shades of black, navy and brown. Fur-trimmed suits of velour, satin cloth and duvetyn. Novelty styles. Some have narrow belts, others are designed in long lines with side effect fastening and have fur collars of beaverine and imitation Kollinsky. Shades are taupe, brown, Saxe, navy and black; size 16 to 46. Clearing at **\$25.00**

—Mantles, First Floor

CHILDREN'S COATS REDUCED

Girls' Coats plain or fur trimmed. They are of excellent materials and have belt and pockets. Shades, fawn, brown, Saxe and green; sizes for 10 to 13 years. Values to \$13.95. Clearing at **\$9.75**

Children's Coats, plain or fur trimmed, in fawn, navy and brown; sizes for the ages of 4 to 8 years. Odd lines and sizes. Values to \$9.75. Clearing at **\$5.95**

Children's Coats in white, pink, blue, fawn and grey, made with round collars; sizes for the ages of 3, 4 and 5 years. Values to \$4.75. Clearing at **\$3.50**

Girls' Fur-trimmed Coats in excellent cloths and in shades of fawn, brown and navy; sizes for 11 and 12 years. Values to \$24.00. Clearing at **\$12.75**

Girls' Fur-trimmed Coats, trimmed with fancy stitching and having belts and pocket; fawn and brown, grey and blue; sizes for the ages of 10 to 14 years. Values to \$16.75. Clearing at **\$12.75**

—Children's, First Floor

Children's Sweaters Reduced

Children's All-wool Coat Style Sweaters, made with collar that fastens close to neck, with or without belt pockets and smoked pearl buttons. Rose, American beauty, Saxe, navy, red and green. For boys or girls. Values to \$4.25. Clearing at **\$2.75**

Children's Sweater Coats, with roll or turn-down collar, belt and pockets. The shades are emerald, Saxe, fawn, navy, scarlet, brown, rose. For the ages of 4 to 12 years. Values to \$7.75 for **\$3.75**

—Children's, First Floor

A January Clearance of MILLINERY

Highest grade models, including some of the latest metal and velvet turbans. Values to \$25.00 for **\$8.95**

A Table of special models, including some very classy shapes. Values to \$20.00 for **\$6.75**

A Few Trimmed Hats and Toques, values to \$15.00 for **\$3.50**

A Few Mettaws Velours to clear at, each **\$5.00**

A Special Selection of Trimmed and Ready-to-wear Hats values to \$10.00 for **\$2.19**

A Selection of Hats, including a few beavers in black purple and navy. Clearing at **\$1.00**

Misses' and Children's Hats in velvet and felt; values to \$6.95. Clearing at **\$1.98**

A Few Felt Hats and Tams, to clear at, each **\$1.25**

—Millinery, First Floor

Women's and Children's HOSIERY

At Special Clearance Prices

500 Pairs of Women's Pure Silk Hosiery with elastic hem tops, double heels, soles and toes. Regular values \$1.50 to \$3.00. Clearing at 79¢

Women's Heather Mixture Cashmere Hosiery, with contrasting color clox. Regular \$1.25. Clearing at **59¢**

Women's Wide Rib Golf Hosiery, English make, all pure wool. Regular \$1.75. Clearing at **89¢**

Girls' Fine 1 and 1 Rib Three-quarter Length Hosiery all wool and turn-down tops and reinforced heels and toes. Seamless; green, Lovat and camel heather mixtures. Regular 88¢ for **59¢**

Children's Three-quarter Hosiery, with turnover colored tops; all wool. Regular 75¢ for **59¢**

Boys' Heather Wool Hosiery, 4 and 1 rib, they have reinforced heels and toes, regular 98¢ for **59¢**

Girls' Wide Ribbed Heather Cashmere Hosiery, in brown, Lovat and camel; sizes 8 to 10. Regular \$1.25 for **59¢**

Women's Silk and Wool Hosiery, with extra long leg, double hemmed top and reinforced foot; fawn, black, blue, grey and green mixtures. Special value, a pair **\$1.50**



200 Pairs of Women's Boots Values to \$7.50 for \$2.95

Black kid, high cut lace Boots, with welted soles and military heels. All sizes from 2½ to 7 in this remarkable offering. Be on hand early.

—Women's Shoes, First Floor

A January Sale of Women's Shoes

Greater Values Than Ever

Women's Pumps, Value to \$6.00 for \$3.90

Black Satin Strap Pumps, with low or French heels, and patent leather one-strap pumps with military heels. Clearing at pair **\$3.90**

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Here is a great variety of quality pumps, in all leathers and black and brown. All are serviceable grades and bargains at the price. Sandals, strap pumps and Colonials. Clearing at **\$4.90**

Women's New Pumps, for \$6.90

New patterns in cut-out styles, wood brown suedes, black satin, with light flexible soles and covered Spanish heels. A special purchase is responsible for this bargain.

Women's Brogue Oxfords at \$5.90

Stout sole brogues in brown or black calf, fawn and brown buck with low heels and double welted soles. These are bargains at each **\$5.90**

Women's Evening Slippers, Values to \$14.00 for \$7.95

In conformity with our plan to dispose of all broken lines each season we have grouped practically all our better evening slippers to go at one price. These include the best makes in Canada in hand-turned pumps, representing almost all sizes. There are gold and silver pumps, black brown or white satin pumps, patent leather black and brown kid and suede pumps and some other clever combinations of leathers. Most remarkable values at **\$7.95**

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The Balance of Our Stock —OF— OVERCOATS Values to \$30.00, on Sale for Each **\$19.75**



In order to clear our Stock of Overcoats, during January, we have grouped the entire assembly and are offering them at this very low price. They are made of heavy wool Coating Tweeds, dependable in every way, and made in the newest models. You have heard what wonderful values in Overcoats we have been offering this Winter. Therefore you will readily understand the Great Bargain. Each **\$19.75**
—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Boys' Overcoats Clearing at \$8.95 and \$10.95

Boy's Heavy, Wool Tweed Overcoats, lined throughout, and designed in better or half better models. Smart coats with large roll collars. Very dressy and serviceable; sizes 26 to 36. Regular to \$12.50, for **\$8.95**
Boy's Overcoats of heavy weight cloths, double breasted, well lined and tailored; belters and plain models. Shades, grey, brown and Lovats. Regular \$14.95, for **\$10.95**
—Boys' Clothing, Main Floor

Sweater Coats for Men Clearance Sale Bargains

Men's All-wool Sweater Coats, English make, with shawl collar and two pockets. Shades are brown, and navy blue. Reg. \$7.25 value. Clearing at **\$5.65**
Sweater Coats for a working man, in heather mixture and made with shawl collar and two pockets. Heavy rib cotton. Special, each **\$1.49**
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Gloves for Men and Boys At Special Prices

2 Dozen only to clear, Men's Wool-lined Gauntlets, one-finger mitts, dark brown with strap wrist. Reg. \$4.95 for **\$3.95**
Two Dozen Pairs Heavy Lined Work Gloves, horsehide front, mule back. Reg. \$2.00 for **\$1.59**
25 Dozen Boys' Tan Leather Gloves, with star and fringe, lined. Reg. \$1.00. On sale for **89¢**
—Main Floor

Steel Beds Priced for the January Sale

Walnut-finished Steel Beds, with square continuous posts, mitre corners and seven rectangular fillers. Size 4ft. 6in. only. Special sale price **\$21.90**
Steel Beds with continuous posts and five upright fillers. All standard sizes, walnut or mahogany finish. At **\$18.90**
Steel Beds with 2-inch continuous posts and finished in walnut or mahogany. Sizes 4ft. 6in. only. Each **\$15.90**
Steel Beds, with continuous posts and finished in walnut. 3ft. 3in. or 4ft. 6in. sizes. Sale price **\$13.90**
—Furniture, Second Floor



Sheets and Bedspreads All Reduced for the January Sale

Cotton Sheets, hemmed, double bed size, suitable for apartments or the home. Size 72 x 90. Regular \$3.50 a pair. Sale Price **\$2.89**

White Bedspreads, greatly underpriced for the sale. Sizes to suit all beds, full, crib or single, 54 x 72 inches. Reg. \$2.50. On Sale for **\$1.98**
72 x 84 inches, reg. \$3.75. On Sale at **\$2.95**
62 x 86 inches, reg. \$4.75. On Sale at **\$3.75**
80 x 90 inches, reg. \$5.75. On Sale for **\$4.75**
82 x 90 inches, reg. \$6.75. On Sale for **\$5.95**

Super-grade Sheets, will give years of service. 63 x 90. Sale price, a pair **\$4.25**
72 x 90. Sale price, a pair **\$5.00**
80 x 90. Sale price, a pair **\$6.00**
Heavy Twill Sheets, 72 x 90. Sale price, a pair **\$3.50**
80 x 90. Sale price, a pair **\$4.00**
—Staples, Main Floor

A January Clearance of Men's Shirts

Men's Union Flannel Shirts, Big Horn brand, made in Victoria; well made shirts with turndown collar and pocket; patterned in fancy stripes. Sizes 14½, 15 and 15½ only. Reg. \$2.75 for **\$1.95**
Men's Negligee Shirts, made from English, fast color zephyr cloths. They are patterned in neat stripes, assorted colors; coat style, double cuffs and starch neck band. All sizes. Worth \$2.75, for **\$2.19**
Men's Negligee Shirts, made from percales and woven ginghams, in light and fancy stripes; coat style with soft double cuffs and starch neckbands. Reg. \$1.75, for **\$1.19**
All sizes except 14½
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Boys' Furnishings at Clearance Prices

Boys' Shirtwaists, odd lines, colors white and assorted stripes. Clearing each **69¢**
Boys' Fancy Ribbed Jerseys, extra strong, wool face, cotton back, plain colors with contrasting stripes on collar; polo collar style with three buttons. Clearing at **\$1.29**
Boys' Flannelette Pyjamas, patterned in fancy stripes, all sizes. Clearing at, a suit **\$1.49**
—Main Floor



A January Sale —or— MEN'S BOOTS Big Values

Men's Top-grade Boots, \$10.00 values for **\$7.90**
Fine quality Boots, in black or brown calf or black kid. They have oak-tanned soles and show a superior workmanship that makes this offering one of special merit. All lasts and sizes.

Men's Boots, values to \$8.00, \$5.90
Calfskin Boots in Winter weights, and a great variety of lasts and patterns. A superior quality work Boot with heavy, double soles, in black or brown waterproof leather.

Men's Dress Boots at **\$4.90**

Undoubtedly the best value in fine Boots for men obtainable; double soles for Winter wear, welted, and rubber heels; black or brown calf. The new lasts as well as the old favorites are shown in this lot. We guarantee their wear.

—Men's Boots, Main Floor

Felt Mattresses To Clear at \$6.90 Each

Felted Mattresses built in layers and will not lump. They are covered with an excellent grade art ticking and finished with roll edge. All standard sizes. On sale at **\$6.90**
—Furniture, Second Floor

Men's Socks January Clearance Sale

All-wool Worsted Socks, made in England; fancy rib, in colors and black. Reg. 45¢ and 50¢. Special, 3 pairs for **\$1.00**

Penman's Fine All-wool Worsted Socks; heather, lovat, brown or black. Special, a pair **50¢**

Worsted Socks, all-wool, made in England; heather shades, all sizes, a pair **65¢** or two pairs for **\$1.25**

All-wool Golf Hosiery, made in England; \$2.50 and \$2.00 values. Clearing at **\$1.59**

Silkline Socks of dressy appearance; colors and black. Reg. 50¢ or two pairs for **75¢**
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Our Whole Stock of Men's Suits To Go at Three Prices **\$29.75, \$19.75 and \$12.50**



Men's Suits, including all our high grade suits except two advanced Spring values. The suits include blue serge, grey worsted and other high grade tweed and worsteds in the latest models, including the new sports, half belters, semi-form fitting, peak lapels and new roll collars. The suits are made from the best English cloths and are designed and made by master tailors. Values to \$40.00. All clearing at **\$29.75**

Men's Suits, of wool tweeds and worsteds; browns, greys, stripes and checks; splendidly tailored and well designed. Conservative and Young Men's models and very stylish. Values to \$30.00 all to go at, a suit **\$19.75**

Men's Tweed and Irish Navy Serge Suits. The tweeds are in light and dark shades and the serges are guaranteed all-wool. The suits are made in two and three-button conservative models, and in sizes 36 to 44. Reg. \$18.00 values for **\$12.50**
—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Swiss Applique Curtains at Half Price

Only 12 Pairs of these Swiss Applique Curtains, shades white or ivory, 40 inches wide and 2½ yards long; very pretty and regularly priced at \$10.00. Sale Price, a pair **\$5.00**
—Drapery, Second Floor

Small High-grade Rugs at Sale Prices

Velvet Fleece Rugs, 36 x 72 inches, all imported English Rugs, in good designs. Sale Price, each **\$7.95**
Reversible Smyrna Rugs, 27 x 54 inches, shown in Oriental designs and colorings. Sale Price, each **\$4.95**
—Rugs, Second Floor

Shopping Bags On Sale at \$1.25

Cretonne Shopping Bags, well lined and with metal handles. Some are made with pockets. Special **\$1.25**
—Drapery, Second Floor

Drapery Remnants All Reduced

An accumulation of Drapery Remnants, including ends of Curtain Nets, Serims, Madras, Cretonnes, and other fabrics. All marked to clear at bargain price.

—Second Floor

Men's Pyjamas and Nightshirts At Clearance Prices

Fancy Stripe Flannelette Nightshirts, finished with collar and pocket. Clearing, each **\$1.29**
Fancy Stripe Flannelette Pyjamas; good weight. Clearing at **\$1.89**
—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor



Blankets and Comforters All Underpriced for January Sale

Pure Wool Blankets, navy blue only; size 56 x 76. Value \$3.95. Sale Price, a pair **\$2.95**
Pure Wool Blankets, made from long, staple yarns, scoured and well fleeced. White, with pink or blue borders. 60 x 80. Regular \$8.95, for a pair **\$6.95**
64 x 84, regular \$10.50, for a pair **\$8.25**
68 x 86, regular \$12.50, for a pair **\$9.25**
72 x 90, regular \$15.00, for a pair **\$11.50**
Silver Grey Point Blankets, 50 x 74, regular \$10.50, for a pair **\$6.95**
Pure Down Comforters, odd numbers, sizes and qualities, for single and double beds. They are covered with English sateens and cambrics and panelled in contrast. Regular \$12.95, \$13.75 and \$15.75. On sale, for each **\$9.35**
Cotton-filled Comforters, in best colorings, 60 x 70. Regular value to \$4.50. On sale, each **\$2.95**
—Staples, Main Floor

A January Sale of Towels All Underpriced

Red and Blue Check Tea Towels, 22-inch, reg. 25¢. Sale price, a yard **19¢**
17-inch Roller Crash, reg. 20¢. Sale price, a yard **16¢**
18-inch Irish Huckaback, reg. 35¢. Sale price, a yard **29¢**
36-inch Pure Longcloth, reg. 30¢. Sale price, a yard **24¢**
60-inch Irish Damask, reg. \$2.75. Sale price, a yard **\$1.79**
72-inch Irish Damask, reg. \$1.85. Sale price, a yard **\$1.49**

54-inch Irish Damask, reg. \$1.35. Sale price, a yard **\$1.19**
22-inch Linen Tea Toweling, reg. 50¢. Sale price, a yard **34¢**
16-inch Linen Roller Crash, reg. 35¢. Sale price, a yard **29¢**
Red and Blue Border Glass Cloths, 34 x 24 inches, excellent Irish linen, hemmed. Reg. \$5.00 per dozen. Sale price, per dozen **\$3.95**
Colored Stripe Turkish Towels, reg. 59¢. Sale price, each **49¢**
Large Turkish Bath Sheets, colored, 38 x 72 inches. Regular \$2.75. Sale price, each **\$1.79**
Large White Turkish Towels, hemmed, reg. \$1.25. Sale price, each **98¢**
Reg. 85¢. Sale price, each **59¢**
—Staples, Main Floor



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DISTRICT ELECTIONS TAKE PLACE SHORTLY

Esquimalt Council Holds Final Session; Nominations January 14

Seasonal greetings for continued health and prosperity were interchanged by Reeve Lockley and members of the Esquimalt Council in final session at the Municipal Hall on Monday evening. The agenda paper was short, and dealt with matters of a routine nature. The council rose early, completing the last session of the 1923 body in the old year.

Nominations of candidates for municipal service will be received by Returning Officer J. R. Chibster on January 14, between noon and 2 p.m. Election day in the districts will be January 10, with Esquimalt polling to take place at the Sailors' Club and the Arm Street store as in previous years. The polls will remain open from 9 a.m. until 7 p.m. Voters in section two will mark their ballots at the Arm Street booths, where Arm Street joins Craigflower Road.

Esquimalt ratepayers will choose eleven candidates for office, including a reeve and six councillors; three trustees and one police commissioner. A contest is expected in all three departments—council, school board and police commission. So far no definite announcements of candidacy have been made.

MAY NEED NINE MORE FIREMEN

Is Result of New Legislation at Recent Session

The City Council will register a protest against the expense to be entailed in giving effect to the Fire Departments' Hours of Labor Act, passed at the recent session of the Legislature.

Fire Chief Stewart reported that nine additional men would be required to give the firemen one whole day off in seven, apart from such time as they may be off under the Double Platoon system, already a voluntary arrangement, but now embodied in a statute.

Alderman Gillespie pointed out that according to expert report Victoria had five more men than the number of firemen per capita, 67 instead of 62, and with nine more the proportion would be substantially increased.

Alderman Todd expressed his regret that he happened to be in the chair, as he desired to criticize the failure of the Legislature to pay any attention to the representations made by the City Council on this subject. The council had lodged a protest which had not been heeded.

Alderman Woodward said he believed effect could be given to the act without an increase in personnel. The subject will be taken up by the board of fire wardens.

PROVISIONAL PLANS APPROVED

Amusement Centre Scheme Will Progress While Company Gathers Data

In finally passing the Amusement Centre By-Law, the City Council has learned that it may be necessary to deepen the swimming pool by two feet. The ground floor of the new building has not been laid out, and Basil Gardom suggested to the council, when the provisional plans were approved, that the matter might be settled while he was away in the East. It was proposed, he said, that the people interested should confer through the Amusement Centre Committee of the Chamber of Commerce with the architects, so that the suggestions could be embodied in the design.

Mr. Gardom indicated that it was not the intention to place in competition, various forms of sport which were already catered for effectively in the city, and for that reason it would not be necessary to proceed with the proposed bowling alley. There were, however, a number of forms of entertainment which might be successfully introduced.

He thanked the 1923 Council for uniform courtesy and interest shown in the project. The council formally ratified the provisional plans on the understanding that when the designs were determined they would see the detailed drawings.

United Veterans Organize For Work of Year

The first quarterly meeting of the 1924 B.C. provincial command, Grand Army of United Veterans, was held over the week-end at the headquarters of the Vancouver branch.

Reports from outside branches

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